- 10 14. A packaged pet food product according to claim 3, wherein the food substrate includes dry ingredients comprising animal protein, carbohydrates and an anti-microbial agent, and at least one liquid ingredient in a predetermined ratio to the sum of the dry ingredients.
- 15. A packaged pet food product according to claim 4, wherein the food substrate includes dry ingredients comprising animal protein, carbohydrates and an anti-microbial agent, and at least one liquid ingredient in a predetermined ratio to the sum of the dry ingredients
- 20 16. A packaged pet food product according to claim 14, wherein the animal protein constitutes from about 17% to 50% by weight of the dry ingredients.
  - 19. A packaged pet food product according to claim 14, wherein the carbohydrates include simple and complex carbohydrates. wherein the complex carbohydrates include rice flour, and wherein the simple carbohydrates include glucose, glycerol and/or sugar.
  - 20. A packaged pet food product claim 14, wherein the antioxidant is rosemary extract.
- 21. A packaged pet food product according to claim 14 wherein thewater constitutes about 10 to about 20% by weight of the finished product.

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